

GIVE NOW TO THE MARCH OF DIMES!

Drowning Arlington Boy Rescued By Father Of Two

A heroic father of two children, halted his automobile on Main st., Winchester, early Tuesday evening, and plunged fully clothed into the Aberjona river, just off Winchester square, to rescue a drowning Arlington boy. Without fuss or fanfare, Lawrence Oisillo, 24 of 19 Holland street, Winchester, then returned to his car and proceeded on his homeward way.

Expenses For Polio Set Mark: Public Response Good So Far

Chairman William Sinclair, Arlington Campaign Director for the 1950 appeal, announces that thus far the Arlington campaign response has been good, but in order to reach the goal set, everyone must contribute his share to this worthy cause.

Last year's record infantile paralysis epidemic virtually drained the nation of its March of Dimes epidemic resources, Mr. William Sinclair, Arlington Campaign Director for the 1950 appeal asserted this week.

Stressing the vital importance of a record March of Dimes, this year, Mr. Sinclair said that expenses for patient care in 1949 soared to \$31,000,000 and by last October had wiped out treasuries of local chapters, including Arlington, in 43 States and Alaska.

CITIZENS' COMMITTEE EXPRESSES CONCERN OVER LACK OF INTEREST IN TOWN MEETING MEMBERSHIP

In expressing its concern over the lack of interest shown in the coming Town Meeting Membership Campaign, brings the following to the attention of the citizens of Arlington:

1. Scant interest in Town Meeting Member openings.
2. Only sixty-two candidates for 142 vacancies (n. b. this is over half of total Town Meeting Membership).
3. Impossible for Arlington Citizens Committee to continue last year's successful policy of endorsing members for good attendance records until there are at least enough candidates for all vacancies.
4. Alarm expressed at lethargy of citizens towards coming election, which indicates a break-down in our representative form of town government.

5. Perhaps public minded citizens do not realize the easy procedure to get their names on the ballot. Nomination paper can be obtained at the Town Clerk's office. Only ten signatures of registered voters in the precinct are needed. Papers must be filed with the Town Clerk by Jan. 30, at 5 p. m.

6. Present lack of interest presents possibility that a voter may write his name on a ballot. If there are only three running for four places, by this one vote a man could be elected. Hardly a democratic way!

7. An ideal time for all to stop complaining about taxes, etc. Get out of their armchairs and do something to help the community.

Town Meeting Members and no one else can appropriate funds. Here is a chance to make your vote count. Be sure your precinct and you as an individual and a taxpayer are represented.

8. Don't let your community be ridiculed by others. Notice that Norwood which is voting this week, has 351 candidates for 120 vacancies. Last year we had over 160 for 92 openings.

9. Donald Presnan, Chairman of special Town Meeting Member Committee of Citizens Committee requests the cooperation of all to make this year's campaign a success. The time is short, so don't delay.

WM. J. O'BRIEN JR. FILES FOR SCHOOL COM.

This week, William J. O'Brien Jr., of 319 Massachusetts Avenue, announced his candidacy for school Committee. Mr. O'Brien, a lifelong resident of Arlington, will base his campaign on the theme: that a committee that passes on all public school policies and budgets should have representation from diversified points of view.

Mr. O'Brien served in the Asiatic-Pacific Theatre on the USS Celano and in Caribbean waters on the USS Steinacker during World War II. He has lived in both East Arlington and Arlington Center areas and attended the Hardy and Parmenter schools. He also graduated from the Junior High East and Arlington High School. After his discharge from the navy, Bill studied at Manter Hall School and Tufts College.

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Town Departments Request An Additional \$425,000 For 1950

Budget Requirements Hit An All-Time Record High

In a statement given out last week from the chairman of the Arlington Finance committee, J. Howard Hayes, it was stated that the various departments of the town have requested nearly a half million dollars, approximately \$425,000, more for the 1950 budget than in the previous year.

Receiving the 1950 budget figures, some three weeks earlier than in previous years, through the cooperation of the various department heads, the Finance committee is thus enabled to give out its report at this time.

The increases noted from the following: Public Works Department, \$112,000; Town Debt, \$43,500; Park Department, \$40,000; School Department, \$102,000; Department of Public Welfare, \$37,000; Library, \$14,000.

In the case of the Library fund, four thousand of the \$14,000 asked is for the outlay for the main building and also for the Dallen Branch. \$6,400 is to cover step-rate increases in salaries and the appointment of a full-time custodian. According to the report, the Library now employs two described as "considerably over-worked." The establishment of the new East Arlington branch on Massachusetts avenue, East Arlington, will be open longer hours than at present, and will require a part-time custodian. \$1600 is asked for a larger book and periodical purchasing fund.

In the case of the Park Department, which requested an additional \$40,000, this sum is described as principally for capital outlay. Superintendent Dan McFadden states that the department is earnestly endeavoring to fill the requests of Arlington for needed improvements. The sum of \$9,000 is listed for lights at the Reservoir field for night softball and junior class baseball. The sum of \$14,725 is asked to complete the necessary grading, seeding and sports layout of the Robbins playground, as well as the building of a suitable roadway to the barn. So far as the Summer street area is concerned, the sum of \$5,200 is asked for this work. For the new location on Medford street the sum of \$10,200 is requested, and for the Thorndike and the North Union Playgrounds, the total sum of \$8,000 covering both playgrounds. The remainder of the total of \$40,000 is made up by the costs of improvement and repair of existing equipment, as well as for an addition to another small dump truck for use of the Department.

Town Warrant Closes Jan. 23

The warrant for the Arlington annual town meeting will close at eight p. m. on Monday evening, January 23rd, the Arlington Board of Selectmen announced on Saturday. Candidates for the major town offices at the annual town election to be held on March 6th must file nomination papers with the Town Clerk, James J. Golden, on or before January 30th, at five p. m.

Heads Arlington Boys' Club Group

James Curtin, president of the Rams club, has been elected president of the presidents and vice presidents group clubs, numbering forty-six, of the Arlington Boys' Club. Curtin has named to the executive committee the following group of executive club presidents: Warren McAdoo, Luke O'Halloran, Bill Drinan, Dave Shaybe and Charles Pigott.

Revive Buying Committee

Arlington's town committee on central purchasing, originally appointed in 1940, but which has been dormant for late years, is being revived with the appointment of four new members. The newly appointed members are Alden E. Birtle, Emmens F. Wylie, Everett G. Cobb and Arthur D. Saul, Jr. The remaining members of the committee include Fred R. Buckley, George A. Harris and Harold E. Magnuson.

Woman's Club Reading Today

The literature and drama committee of the Arlington Woman's club will present a play reading at the meeting of the club this morning, in the Junior Library hall. Mrs. Karl M. Pace is chairman.

FORMER PRESS EMPLOYEE RECEIVES FIRST CHECK

The first Arlington veteran to receive the United States Government insurance dividend check was a former Press employee, Armendeo D'Auria, of 124 Brooks Avenue, Arlington. Next in line to receive checks, are Edward P. Murphy, secretary Veterans of Foreign Wars, Arlington post, and Joe Spears, past commander Marine Corps League.

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A 10 minute educational movie short dramatizing the story of the Disabled American Veterans will soon be seen in local theaters. Titled "How Much Do You Owe?" the film stars James Stewart, famous motion picture actor, and General Jonathan M. Wainwright, hero of Bataan and Corregidor. Gen. Wainwright is shown presenting Stewart, who contributed his services along with the entire motion picture industry which made possible the film, with special DAV citation. Interested onlooker is the new Mrs. Stewart.

Arlington Patriot's Com. Announces Plans For Day

The Arlington Board of Selectmen has authorized the Patriot's Day committee to arrange a program for the 175th anniversary celebration of the Day. The towns of Lexington and Concord, which are smaller than Arlington, have at Special Town meetings appropriated \$12,000 each. Menotomy or Arlington was the center of the fighting and we sacrificed more lives in the cause of Liberty than Lexington and Concord combined. This committee needs the cooperation of the citizens of Arlington to make this the biggest celebration the town has ever had.

Tentatively, the plans stand as follows: The churches will be requested to speak on "Patriot's Day and its Meaning" on Sunday morning, April 16, at their services. There will be a school children Historical Pageant on Sunday evening, Monday, April 17, will be Youth Activity Day for all children of all ages. Monday evening there will be a dance for the youth of Arlington at the Town Hall. Tuesday, a huge dance will be conducted for the benefit of the various hospitals of our area. Wednesday a monster parade and the arrival of Paul Revere and William Dawes will be held. The President of the United States and his staff, the Governor of Massachusetts and his staff.

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Police Chief Bullock Honored By Boys' Club

Recently a representative group of Arlington Boys club members called at police headquarters to present a newly designed "Sponsor" plaque to the man who years previously had inaugurated the idea of a Boy's Club for the town of Arlington.

It was one of the happiest moments of the day, his 19th anniversary as chief of the community's protective force, for Chief Archie F. Bullock when the five youngsters were ushered into the big office at police headquarters.

Amidst the flashing of photographer's bulbs, little Jackie Sefton age 10, presented to Chief Bullock the official Arlington Boy's Club Plaque while Richie Iannessa, age 12, Jimmy Spartichine age 13, Dave Donnelly age 13 and Bob Mooney age 14 added their congratulations to the man who had made their everyday lives so much richer and happier by working with his fellow townsfolk to bring the Boys Club of America to Arlington.

At the friendly little ceremony Chief Bullock told the boys that they were always welcome to visit him and that he would continue to help the Arlington Boy's Club to eventually get the modern clubhouse that the greatly enlarged membership needed.

Public Hearing Jan. 24 On Spy Pond Sanitation

On the petition of Henry E. Keenan, for an investigation by the Department of Public Health and the Metropolitan District Commission, House Bill 608, of the sanitary conditions of Spy Pond in the town of Arlington, and certain related matters, a public hearing will be held at the State House, Boston, on Tuesday morning, January 24th, at 10:30 o'clock.

The text of House Bill No. 608 is as follows:

Arlington Man Victim In Million Dollar Holdup

DEMOCRATIC TOWN COM. MEETING FRIDAY

A meeting of the Arlington Democratic Town Committee will be held on Friday evening, January 20, at eight o'clock, in the Hearing Room of the Robbins Memorial Town Hall. Hon. Thomas J. Buckley, State auditor of Massachusetts, will be the guest speaker. Paul C. Griffin, chairman of the committee, will preside.

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FLASH!

Within minutes after the \$1,000.000 holdup Tuesday night, Chief Bullock ordered all patrol cars and officers alerted to be on the look-out for the robbers. No descriptions were given.

Child Care Day

The child care day at the Park Avenue Congregational church, has now been extended to take in pre-school age children. This popular service is available on Thursdays from nine a.m. until five p.m. and will include a hot luncheon served to the children.

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Registrations for a course on Parliamentary Law are accepted at the High School, Wednesday and Thursday evenings, January 18th and 19th from 7:30 to 9:00. The course is open to anyone not now registered in our day schools and should prove of particular interest and value to any person who is or may be called upon to preside or act as chairman at any club or society meeting.

The course will start Monday evening, January 23 and will continue every Monday evening thereafter until February 27th. Each session will last 1 1/2 hours from 7:30 to 9:00 p. m. consisting of a lecture period and a generous amount of time for question and answer period or other practical applications of the rules of Parliamentary Law.

Mr. Lawrence R. Grove, Clerk of the House of the General Court, will give the first lecture and Miss Helen R. Watson attorney and instructor in Parliamentary Law for University Extension will give the three succeeding lectures.

The remaining two lectures will be given by John M. Russell, Esq., who has been moderator of the Town Meetings in Watertown for the past ten years. This phase of the course will deal specifically with Town Meeting procedure and will be of particular interest to Town Meeting members as well as those contemplating seeking election membership. No previous knowledge of Parliamentary Law is presumed and all questions and problems put to the lecturers will be discussed.

Course: Parliamentary Law.
Place: High School.
Registration: At the High School on January 18th and 19th 7:30 - 9:30 p. m.
Fee: \$1.00 which will be returned in full if the registrant attends 75 percent of the lectures.
Time: Monday evenings commencing January 23 from 7:30 p. m. to 9:00 p. m.
Open: To any one in Arlington not now registered in our day schools.

Choral Group To Present
Old Fashioned Concert

Mrs. Mae Lynch, Chairman of the January Social has announced that the Choral Group of the Club will present an Old Fashioned Variety Concert, on Wednesday evening, January 25th, in St. Agnes School Hall.

Mrs. Lynch, Coach, and Mrs. Mildred Dillon, Director, have promised a very enjoyable evening of solos, quartets and sextets, rendering all the old-time favorite songs. Miss Gertrude Wade will be soloist and Mrs. Helen Wade accompanist.

The Chairman will be assisted by the following committee, composed of members of the Choral and others:

Mrs. John Canniff, Mrs. William Cunnane, Mrs. John Dacey, Mrs. James Donlan, Mrs. William Herlihy, Mrs. Arthur McMahon, Mrs. John Millett, Mrs. Michael McEligott, Mrs. Olive McGlynn, Mrs. John McGrath, Mrs. Albert Ryan, Mrs. Allan Galpin, Mrs. George Cronin, Mrs. Charles Cronin, Mrs. James Kelly, Mrs. Fred Goodsell, Mrs. Peter McDonough, Mrs. Joseph McGrath, Mrs. Henry Hogan, Mrs. George Dolan, Mrs. Joseph Kelly, Mrs. John Deasy, Mrs. William Hyland, Mrs. Richard Powers, Mrs. Warren Ryan, Mrs. Frank Dorsey, Mrs. William Kelly, Mrs. Edmund Norris, Mrs. Henry LaMothe and Mrs. Pierce Cummings.

SPEAKS AT PORTLAND

Rev. John Nicol Mark was the guest speaker at a meeting of the Maine State Fair Association held last week in Portland, Maine.

To Reside In
South Africa

Announcement is made by Mr. and Mrs. Warren A. Seavey, of the marriage of their daughter, Miss Barbara Jeanne, to Mr. Allen McLeod Cormack, on January 6th, at their Cambridge home. The bride is a graduate of Radcliff college. Mr. Cormack is a graduate in nuclear physics at Cambridge University, in England. Following the ceremony, the couple boarded a plane for Freetown en route to their future home in Cape Town South Africa, where Mr. Cormack will teach as a member of the science faculty of the University of Cape town.

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At that time the Arlington representative of the Polio Foundation of Arlington, called in person to assure us that no matter how serious the case for how long the after effects, the main idea of the polio foundation was to see that no family involved had to change its mode of life as the heavy burden of expenses would be assured by the polio foundation.

This most generous and sympathetic assistance to a grief-stricken family truly brings out the goodness and warm heartedness of the entire team of benefactors, workers and medical authorities all of which are backed up and supported by the polio center.

May I add that our experience had a happy ending and served to enlighten us to all phases of the wonderful work of the Foundation which from the small contributions of you and your neighbors in the community, pooled in to one enormous resource, are drawn the funds sufficient to assist many a family such as ours in its dire need. There have been great advances made in polio, but still the danger lurks over almost every home."

Most sincerely,
(Signed) Mrs. Gertrude Lally

Football Stars
Feted By K. Of C.

The Arlington high football team Class A co-champions, were banqueted by the Arlington Council No. 109 Knights of Columbus, in the Robbins Memorial town hall, Arlington, on Monday evening, at 6:30 o'clock. Adam Walsh, famous Bowdoin football coach, was the principal speaker. Paul Dorrington, Woburn high school coach and former Arlington high and Holy Cross gridiron star, was the toastmaster. Movies showing the Sugar Bowl game between Arlington high and Warren Easton high, played in New Orleans last month, were featured.

RADIO WINNER

Congratulations to Dr. Ascher H. Sharpio, of 68 Gray street, who recently won a record album for his question submitted to the "You Can't Lose" radio program.

30 SECOND PROFILE

RONALD CHARLES COLMAN—long called Hollywood's most reliable actor. He has been a star the last 27 years. When not working he is extremely shy ("Can I help it," he asked a writer, "if I am dull?"). An Academy Award winner, he is the only actor in his family history. He's 5-11, a tweedy dresser. He was once named Hollywood's "best carelessly dressed man." He's embarked for the first time in his career, upon his own radio program—"The Halls of Ivy" (Fri. nites, NBC), a humorous insight into the campus life of Dr. Wm. Todhunter Hall, serious-minded president of "Ivy College."



MISS RILEY
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Mr. and Mrs. Edward B. Riley, of Arlington, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Rose Marie, to Mr. John S. Jarmilawicz, of Chelsea.

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Arlington Military
Manpower Committee

Valentine
Banquet

Plans for the coming annual Valentine banquet, sponsored annually by the men's class and the women's fellowship of the Arlington First Baptist church, were discussed at a board meeting of the class held recently at the home of the secretary, Charles Dorr, 108 Ronald road. Among those attending were Rev. Nathan Wood, Harry Thompson, Herb Alderson, Wally Gorton, Ray Farrar, Dick Churchill, Al Brown, Clarence Cowfer, Syd Bowdidge, John Ivester, Georg Miller, Bill Rule, Ralph Brown, Nils Alsen, Harold Magnuson and Herb MacDonald. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Dorr and her committee.

The Arlington Military Manpower Committee announces plans for a public meeting to be held at the Robbins Library Hall on Tuesday, February 8th, at which Captain Robert J. Green, United States Air Forces, will speak on the Berlin Airlift. Captain Green recently returned to the U. S. after 2 years duty in Germany as a pilot on the Airlift. He will tell of his experiences on this gigantic undertaking. He has been assigned to duty as Public Information Officer at the Boston Main Station of the New England Recruiting District for the Army and Air Forces and is actively engaged in the work of the Arlington MMC. Captain Green now resides in Arlington at the Moore Apartments.

The Arlington MMC will fly to Fort Dix, New Jersey, on February 24th to observe the new peace time indoctrination and processing of Army and Air Force recruits.

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Strange Facts About Polio



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MARCH OF DIMES SUPPORTS ONE OF THE NATION'S LARGEST RESEARCH PROGRAMS DIRECTED AGAINST A SINGLE DISEASE!

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Adam Walsh, coach of Bowdoin and former all-American captain of Notre Dame's famous team of the "four horsemen and seven mules", was the main speaker at the sixth annual football banquet for the Arlington High school football team, sponsored by Council 109 K. of C. held Monday evening at Robbins Memorial Town Hall.

Other speakers and guests at the headtable included: John O'Lalor, special agents F. B. I.; John McDevitt, state deputy Knights of

Columbus; Joe Greeley, deputy grand knight of Council 109; Clifford Hall superintendent of schools; Raymond Morrill, principal of Arlington High School; John Morine, chairman of the school committee; Coaches Toczkowski, Cavaleri and Burns; Joseph Hoar and Franklin Hurd, co-chairman of the banquet committee; Dr. Campobasso, team physician; the Rev. Bixby, pastor of the Church of Our Savior; toastmaster Paul Dorrington, coach of Woburn High and

Get-Well Wishes

Our best get-well wishes are extended to Mrs. Joseph Talamona, of 242 Hillside avenue who underwent an operation on January 9th, at the Parkway hospital in Brookline.

former all time Arington High and Holy Cross star. Father Rafferty, head of CYO activities for Saint Agnes Church will give the invocation.

Movies of the "Sugar Bowl" game between Arlington and Warren Easton High were shown and many mothers, sisters and friends of the players attended.

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Centre PTA Meeting Tonight

The January meeting of the Junior high centre PTA will be held tonight, at the school. The subject to be discussed is "Will Your Child Be a Square Peg in a Round Hole?" Guest speaker will be John I. Lusk, supervisor of vocational education in the State Department of Education. Also present to answer inquiries will be Arthur E. Robinson, director of the vocational school of the Arlington high school and Miss Mary Campion, supervisor of home economics at the Arlington high school. Teachers will be on hand in their rooms for consultation with parents.

County Agent At Garden Club

At the regular meeting of the Arlington Garden club, held on last Wednesday, Mr. M.A. Fultz, county agent for the Middlesex Extension bureau, addressed the group on the subject - "Food and Sprays for Growing Plants."

The club asks for volunteers among the members in the flower-arrangement group, to help make arrangements at the Bedford Veterans hospital, with the hospital service committee, on Arlington Garden club day, Friday, January 27th. Anyone interested in helping with this work may contact the hospital service chairman-protem, Mrs. Charles W. Wright, at AR-5-0486-M.

Jewish Center Holds Quiz

At the January 17th meeting of the Arlington Jewish Center, held at the American Legion Hall, Arlington, a quiz program was held and much enjoyed. Mr. Joseph Tailor, entertained with Jewish music and anecdotes. The committees have been named for the musical revue which the Center plans to hold on April 12th, at the Junior High East.

Mrs. Chamberlain expressed the deep regret of the Board in accepting the resignation of Miss Fandel, and stated that plans were underway for a reception in her honor at a later date. She thanked all the nurses for the faithful services they have performed and are continuing to perform in spite of being under-compensated. She also expressed her appreciation of the services of Miss Rafelli who has replaced Mrs. Estes as Office Secretary. Mrs. Chamberlain stated that it had been the wish of the

Visiting Nursing Association Geared For Wide 1950 Program

The Annual Meeting of the Arlington Visiting Nursing Association was held on January 10th in the Robbins Library Hall.

Mrs. Francis Chamberlain, President, opened the meeting and thanked the officers and directors for their help the past year.

Miss Edith Winn, Recording Secretary, gave a most interesting report. She said the Association had been faced with one crisis after another during the year. First - the resignation of Mrs. Estes, Office Secretary; next - the necessity of finding new headquarters and moving from Court street to 13A Medford street. Another crisis was presented by the failure of the Community Chest to provide necessary funds, leaving the Association \$1400 short of the amount anticipated to carry on the work of the nurses. Another serious crisis came with the resignation of Miss Fandel, Supervisor of Nurses for 30 years.

The Treasurer's report was read by Mrs. Frederick W. Hill, and the report of the Auditor, Mr. Ernest Hesselstine, was read by Miss Isabel E. Hallett.

The report of Miss Caroline A. Fandel, Supervisor of Nurses, was read by Miss Ethel M. Fisher, and showed 9525 calls made by the nurses during the year, an increase of 1172 calls over the previous year. Miss Fandel also reported excellent attendance at both of the Well Baby Clinics.

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Board to appoint a Supervisor from our own excellent staff of Nurses. This was made impossible, however, by the requirements of the State, that any Supervisor of a Grade A organization, such as ours, must be a Graduate of a School of Public Health Nursing. It was therefore a great disappointment to the members that the position of Supervisor could not be offered to our nurses.

Miss Dorothy Leavitt, new Supervisor of Nurses was introduced to the meeting and her previous experience and qualifications for the position stated. She expressed her desire to co-operate with the Board and the nurses.

Mrs. M. Norcross Stratton presented the report of the Nominating committee. The following are the Officers and Directors for 1950. President, Mrs. Francis Chamberlain; 1st Vice President, Mrs. Hallam T. Ring; 2nd Vice Pres., Mrs. Lawrence R. Eaton; Recording Secretary, Miss Edith Winn; Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. Edwin A. Barnard; Treasurer, Mrs. Frederick W. Hill; Directors for 3 years, Mrs. Harold Cahalan, Miss Isabel Hallett, Mrs. Raymond Farren, Mrs. Donald O. Johnston and Mrs. Charles D. Surette; Directors for 2 years, Mrs. Rexford O. James, Mrs. Andrew A. Magnus, Mrs. M. Norcross Stratton, Mrs. Clarence H. Brown, Mrs. Arthur Birch; Directors for 1 year, Mrs. Charles F. Buckingham, Mrs. Frank G. Parker, Mrs. Rose E. Chapin, Mrs. Leonard R. Bradford and Mrs. Robert L. Moore.

The Nursing Staff:- Mrs. Dorothy Leavitt, R. N. Supervisor; Miss Ethel M. Fisher, R. N.; Miss Katherine L. Brennan, R. N. and Mrs. Caroline Raffelli, Secretary.

Miss Frank G. Parker introduced the speaker, Miss Ethel Brooks, Chief of the State Bureau of Public Health Nursing, who talked on "The Trends in Public Health Nursing."

Preceding the meeting, a coffee

hour was enjoyed by the members and a large number of interested friends. Mrs. Chamberlain and Mrs. Walter R. Boone poured at the beautifully appointed table. Mrs. Boone has been associated with the Board for 11 years and for 10 years has been head of the Well Baby Clinic at the Crosby School. Refreshments were in charge of Mrs. Leonard R. Bradford and her committee.

KIWANISANS MEET TODAY AT BOYS' CLUB

At the meeting of Kiwanis Club today (Thursday) at 12:15 at the Arlington Boys' Club, the new program chairman, Dr. Francis Coughlin will present a most interesting program. A full attendance is requested.

The recent talk on Kiwanis given by Lieutenant Governor Alan Blacklock was a fine one and much enjoyed by the members.

A midwinter conference for club officers, will be held at the Hotel Touraine, on Saturday, January 21, at 9:30 a.m. The District Officers will be installed during the Kiwanis luncheon period at 12:30.

HARDY SCHOOL PTA TO PRESENT FILM

On Wednesday evening, January 25th, at the Hardy school auditorium, the film, "Human Growth" will be presented. This film has been given wide publicity through Life Magazine, and is one of the controversial themes of the day. Mrs. Hutchinsin will speak on conjunction with the film showing on "Sex Education for Children." This interesting evening is in charge of the Parent Education committee, headed by Mrs. Alma Abbott and the Pre-school committee, chairman Mrs. Ida Coppinger.

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D. A. R. MEETING

Menotomy Chapter, D. A. R. held a regular meeting on Tuesday afternoon, at the Robbins Library hall. Frank Rogers of the Norfolk Paint and Wallpaper stores, spoke on "The History of Wallpaper." The Election of delegates to the March conference and to the Continental Congress was held at this meeting, with the presentation being made of the Arlington high school "Good Citizen".

Military Services Held For World War 1 Hero

Military funeral services for Peter Olszewsky, 54, of 97 Melrose street, Arlington, a veteran of World War one in which he served in France with the 301st infantry, were held on Saturday from the Joseph P. Szulewski funeral home, East Cambridge, with a solemn

high mass of requiem at St. Hedwig's church, East Cambridge. The body was escorted to the church and thence to St. Michael's cemetery, Forest Hills, for burial, by a delegation of the Thaddeus Kosciuszko Post, No. 2091, Veterans of Foreign Wars, of Dorchester.

Many Candidates Enter Various Town Races

Still more candidates have announced their entrance into the election races for March 6th. Included in the number are Stephen S. Donoghue, of 36 Hodge road, Arlington, who has announced his candidacy for a member of the Arlington Board of Public Works, against Thomas R. Rawson, whose candidacy has already been announced; also running for this office is Herbert W. Whitney, 63 Scituate street, against the two named here.

Entering the contest for Assessor and opposing the present incumbent, Walter S. Cooledge, Jr., is George Manning of 145 Gray street. Manning is a veteran of the last war, serving in the air forces of the United States Marine Corps, as First Lieutenant. A member of the local Young Democratic Club, the Massachusetts Young Democrat

ic Club, he is the son of Luke Manning, a former selectman. He is unmarried and resides with his parents at the Gray street address.

Herbert W. Whitney is also a veteran of World War Two and is at present a Lieutenant commander in the Naval Reserve. He is superintendent in charge of construction at the Eliot bridge and is employed by the Munroe Langstroth Inc. Construction company. During the war he was a member of the Seabees and saw service at many important centers, including Newfoundland, Okinawa and other service at many posts in the Pacific theatre fields. He is a member of Hiram Lodge, A. F. and A. M., the St. John's Episcopal church, has resided in Arlington for the past 18 years. He is married, owns his own home and has two children.

Good News For Arlington Anglers**Feted On 92nd Birthday**

Mrs. Laura Balch Jones, one of Arlington's most aged residents, quietly observed her 92nd birthday on Wednesday, surrounded by friends and relatives at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Charles Bisbing, with whom she makes her home, at 12 Norfolk road, Arlington.

Arlington anglers are welcoming the news that Spy Pond, in Arlington, has now been well stocked with fish for the 1950 fishing season, by the State Department of Conservation, division of fisheries and game, all through the efforts of State Representative Henry E. Keenan, of Arlington. A total of 12,674 fish has been placed in the pond, including 8320 horned pout, 4170 yellow perch, 24 pickerel, 30 crappie and 130 sunfish.

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of Spy Pond in the Town of Arlington. Said board shall investigate the condition of the pond in its relation to public health and conditions caused by the presence of microscopical organisms and aquatic growths and the breeding of mosquitoes and shall study the matter of the water level of Spy Pond and the control works regulating the level and said board shall also investigate and study the matter of improving sanitary conditions of Little Pond also known as Little Spy Pond located in the town of Belmont, Wellington Brook and Alewife Brook in the towns of Belmont and Arlington and the cities of Cambridge and Somerville in relation to their use as drainage sources of Spy Pond, and to reclaim land now owned by the metropolitan district commission, located in the area from Spy pond at Lake street in the town of Arlington to the Alewife Brook parkway at the Cambridge-Arlington line and bounded by the Concord turnpike to the north and the Boston and Maine Railroad to the south and said board shall investigate and study the possibilities of further use of said reclaimed land for public use. Said board shall report to the general court the results of its investigation and its recommendations, if any, together with the estimated cost of improvements as to the allocation thereof, and

Attend Golden Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Barney, with their son, Robert, and Mrs. Arthur F. Barney, of 48 Arlmont street, attended the golden anniversary on Sunday, January 8th, of the latter's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie E. Marden, in Worcester. Open house was held at the home of Richard Marden, son of the guests of honor, in Worcester. More than 135 guests were present. The couple received hundreds of congratulatory messages and cards from all over New England, as well as many lovely and useful gifts.

Named Senior Warden At St. John's Church**Their Hats Are In The Ring!**

In addition to the four contests developing for the major town offices, many new candidates have tossed their hats into the ring as of going to press time.

Taking out papers for the School Committee, as a new candidate, is Edwin J. Moeller, of 43 Chandler street. Robert E. Mahoney, of 260 Broadway, an insurance agent, announcing his candidacy for the one year term on the Planning Board.

Out for re-election are the following: For Trustees of the following funds: Thompson Scholarship Fund, Arthur O. Yeames; Robert L. Moore, Pratt Fund; Edward P. Clark, Farmer funds and Dr. Ernest R. Brooks, Board of Health; Cemetery Commissioner, Arthur R. Kimball; Housing Authority, Joseph A. Vahey.

Missing Boy Returns Home

Missing since Sunday afternoon, when he apparently boarded a Boston-bound bus in the vicinity of his home, at 96 Coolidge road, Arlington, Richard Meehan, 13, reported to the Arlington police station at 2 o'clock on Wednesday morning, and was returned safe and sound to his distraught parents. The lad had taken a trip to New York City, spending the nights in the Grand Central Station, and when his money ran out, returning home by train. Needless to relate, all is serene again at the Meehan home.

GET-WELL WISHES

The PRESS extends its sincere wishes for a speedy recovery to Deputy Sheriff Eddie Grant, of 22 Victoria road, who was released from the Symmes Arlington hospital last week and is now recuperating at his home. Rushed to the hospital on Monday, January 2nd, when stricken with a hemorrhage his name was for a time on the danger list. He is the second oldest in point of service as deputy sheriff for Middlesex County.

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Bradshaw Guild Elects Officers

At the recent annual meeting of the Anna Bradshaw Guild, of the Pleasant street Congregational church, held in the church vestries, Mrs. Elmer E. Barber, presiding the following slate of officers was voted into office.

Mrs. Elmer E. Barber, president; Mrs. Ralph B. Lancaster, and Mrs. Robert E. Wasson, vice presidents; recording secretary, Mrs. David R. Kennedy; Assistan, Mrs. Gordon P. Thompson; Corresponding secretary, Mrs. Grace Mitchell; Treasurer Mrs. Glenn E. Owens; Assistant, Mrs. Clarence A. Russell; auditor, Mrs. Walter C. Sargent. The committee chairmen included the following: Mrs. Everett G. Cobb, Miss Grace Parker, Mrs. George B. C. Rugg, Mrs. Harold B. Wood, Mrs. Clarence H. Brown, Mrs. William E. Buntun, Mrs. William J. Sinclair and Mrs. Laurence L. Barber. The Nominating committee included, Mrs. A. W. Hillard, Mrs. Leonard D. Wood, Mrs. Frank E. Carlson.

Following the business meeting, the pastor, Rev. David G. Colwell, addressed the group on "Relationship of the Roman Catholic and Protestant Religions." Tea was served

by the members of the board, with Mrs. David G. Colwell and Mrs. Elmer Barber assisting as pourers.

St. Jerome Penny Sale

The Holy Name Society of St. Jerome's church, will sponsor a monster penny sale on Tuesday evening, January 31st, at the Robbins Memorial Town Hall in Arlington. More than five hundred valuable prizes will be given out to the lucky winners. Among those will be a television set, a pop-up toaster, and electric roaster, and hundreds of other valuable items. Anthony Tiberil is chairman of the committee in charge of the affair.

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A representative of the State Department of Conservation's Division of Fisheries and Game will speak at the next meeting of the Spy Pond Rod and Reel Association on Wednesday, February 15 at 3:30 p.m. in the Robbins Memorial Library, Arlington.

This angler's association was organized last summer for the purpose of bettering conditions in the Spy Pond and "Little Pond" sections in Arlington. It is acting to rid the areas of collected garbage and rubbish which have developed into breeding places for rats, making this popular fishing spot an unhealthy place for youngsters and

adults who come from Cambridge, Somerville and other nearby cities, as well as Arlington, to fish at "Spy."

The association also hopes to affect the general improvement of fishing conditions at Spy Pond.

"We hope parents of young children will join us in our fight against the unhealthy conditions that now exist," urged Henry T. Wolosinski of Arlington, President of the Association. "Right now," he added, "we are extremely pleased to know that a bill providing for the investigation of this and other local public areas where unsanitary conditions may prevail, will be in-

roduced by Representative Keenan in the State Legislature, on January 24th. We hope the public will get behind this kind of important legislation!"

The club will be glad to welcome new members from any locale (including any angler's wife)! At its last session, a demonstration of the delicate art of fly tying was given by Joseph Looney, an Instructor at the Cambridge Center for Adult Education. Similar programs as well as movies of interest to fishermen, are planned for future meetings.

Information regarding the Spy Pond Rod and Reel Association may be obtained from their secretary, Mrs. Clarence Cheney, by calling Arlington 5-7217.

"Here's the Pitch"

By "Bump" Hadley

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THE NEW YORK GIANTS recently signed outfielder Myron (Mike) McCormick to a contract for the 1950 season. The Giants are supposed to be accenting a new youth movement, and it's hard to see where Mike fits into the youth category. He's 32 years old now, a veteran who has been around the major leagues for many years.

Mike kicked around the minor leagues for seven seasons before the Cincinnati Reds picked him up in 1940. He's an average outfielder, not too strong a hitter. His best year was 1940 with the Cincinnati Reds. He hit .287 with the Reds in 1941 and .285 with the Boston Braves in 1947.

However, McCormick is regarded as a "good luck piece," and that may be why the Giants signed him. The first year that the Reds brought Mike up from Indianapolis of the American Association, he and Frank McCormick (no relation) paced the Reds to the National League pennant.

The Reds sold Mike to the Boston Braves, and in 1948 the Braves, with McCormick on the roster, won the National League pennant. During the off-season, the Braves traded McCormick to the Brooklyn Dodgers, and last year the Dodgers won the National League bunting.

Thus in nine years in the National League, Mike McCormick has played with three different teams, and he's participated in three different World Series.

Will he make a fourth World Series with a fourth team, the New York Giants?



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Arlington Takes Over Fourth Place: Defeats Stoneham 5-1

The very much improved Arlington High sextet put on their best show of the season at the Arena last Saturday by scoring a goal a minute for the first three minutes of the first period and adding two more in the second period defeating Stoneham, 5-1.

In the other three games played Medford, the league leader, dropped its first game of the season in a rough and ready mixup to Melrose High, who took over first place by a score of 3-1. Rindge Tect edged its intra-city rival Cambridge Latin, 3-2, and took over third place in the league. Newton in a surprise move won its first game of the season defeating Belmont 4-1.

Medford and Melrose got themselves mixed up in one of the best fights seen this season, lasting nearly five minutes. When the smoke cleared, Messrs. Palmer and Lister of Medford and Marolais

and Kennefic of Melrose found themselves sitting in the penalty box. This may be good omen for Arlington, for these boys, according to the rules of the league, are ineligible to play next week when Arlington meets Melrose at the Arena. The summary of the game: Lineup: Arlington

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RD Dikerson
RD Kiley
RW Kenney
C Babine
LW Doherty

Spares:
Coolidge, Vassil, Meehan, Cooney, Wyman, Patton, O'Brien and Timmons
Stoneham
G Whitson
LD Leland
LD R. Burns
RW Farrell
C J. Burns
LW Norden

Spares:
Sousa, Beane, Hurlburt, and Wamaker.
Score by periods 1 2 3 T
Arlington 3 2 0 5
Stoneham 0 1 0 1
First period: Kenny (Kiley) 1:24, Meehan (Kiley) 1:59, Cooney (Kiley) 3:14.
Second period: Doherty 2:45, Souza (R. Burns) 3:18, Babins 9:32.

Super Loyal Kiwanians

Eight members of the Arlington Kiwanis Club have been honored by the completion of one hundred per cent attendance record during the year just past. They are Elmer Anderson, Louis Doctoroff, L. Curtis Foye, Warren Guild, Maurice Hatch, Jack Katz, Russell Perham and Bob Spence.

Arlington Girl And Revere Man Married

Miss Helen Devlin, niece of Miss Gertrude Dwyer, of 26 Lockeland avenue, Arlington, was married on Saturday afternoon, in the rectory of St. Agnes church, Arlington, to Mr. Alfred F. Gardella, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred F. Gardella, of 66 Pleasant street, Revere. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. James J. Rafferty, a curate.

A wedding reception and dinner for a small group, were held at the Hotel Commander, Cambridge. Miss Phyllis White, of Arlington, was maid of honor. Lawrence De-fee, of Revere, acted as best man. The bridegroom is a veteran of the recent war, in which he served as a lieutenant in the United States army.

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Here Is Another Time The Anti-Trust Lawyers Were Wrong!

Ever since the anti-trust lawyers filed their suit to put A&P out of business, they have been making, in the newspapers and over the radio, various "allegations" about how they think this company does business.

Please remember that "allegations" are charges that have not been proved.

In this case they will be disproved.

There have been times in the past when the anti-trust lawyers made very damaging "allegations" about this company that the courts eventually decided were utterly without foundation.

In our last advertisement we told you about the time the anti-trust lawyers charged that A&P, two other food chains and two labor unions conspired to fix the price of bread in Washington, D. C.

And yet, when this case came to trial, it was revealed that the defendants were actually selling bread cheaper than most other stores in Washington, and there was absolutely no evidence that they had ever engaged in any such "alleged" conspiracy.

That was the time Federal Judge T. Alan Goldsborough instructed the jury to bring in a verdict of "not guilty."

It was the time he said to the anti-trust lawyers:

"If you were to show this record to any experienced trial lawyer in the world, he would tell you that there was not any evidence at all."

"Honestly, I have never in my over forty years' experience seen tried a case that was as absolutely devoid of evidence as this. That is the honest truth. I have never seen one like it."

But this was not the only time that the anti-trust lawyers made such serious "allegations" against A&P which were false. Again, and still again, they brought cases against A&P and suffered defeat.

As we have said, we think you are entitled to know about these other cases. And now, we are going to tell you about the second time the anti-trust lawyers were wrong.

The North Carolina Potato Case

In December, 1941, the anti-trust lawyers brought a criminal suit in Wilson, North Carolina.

They charged that A&P's fresh fruit and vegetable buying subsidiary, and other good American citizens, had conspired to fix and depress prices paid farmers for potatoes in North Carolina, Virginia and Maryland.

Can anyone imagine any charge calculated to be more damaging to a retail grocery business that must rely on farmers, day after day, for the food we distribute to our customers?

In this case the anti-trust lawyers gave a story to the newspapers, telling millions of farmers that we were the kind of people who would force their prices down, deprive them of a decent income, and lower their families' living standard.

These charges were false.

They made these charges despite the fact that it has always been A&P's policy to pay our farm suppliers fair market prices for all produce; to aid agriculture through better distribution of its products; to narrow the spread between farm and retail prices; and to help farmers build better markets for their products.

That is why many thousands of farmers all over the country are now coming to our support.

When the case finally came to trial, the anti-trust lawyers put on as their first witness a potato expert of the U. S. Department of Agriculture.

This expert, who was the anti-trust lawyers' own witness, testified that contrary to the anti-trust lawyers' "allegations," the defendants made every effort to help the Department of Agriculture in its efforts to aid the potato farmer in better marketing of his products and in getting a better price for his products.

When the anti-trust lawyers had put in their evidence and had argued their case Federal Judge C. C. Wyche directed the jury to bring in a verdict of "not guilty."

Judge Wyche said to the anti-trust lawyers:

"I have studied this case from the very outset. In my opinion there is no testimony produced from which it can reasonably be inferred that the defendants entered into a combination to depress or lower the price of potatoes."

"I might say that I never tried a case in my life where a greater effort, more work, more investigation had been done, combing almost with a fine-tooth comb to gather evidence, as was done in this case."

"But, as was said a long time ago, you can't make brick without straw, and you can't make a case without facts."

So, here was a case in which the anti-trust lawyers made seriously damaging charges against A&P in which the Judge decided that there were no facts to support those charges.

That is why we say the anti-trust lawyers can be wrong and have been wrong.

That is why we say that they are wrong again, just as they were wrong in the Washington bread case and the North Carolina potato case.

We are going to show the American people that the suit to destroy A&P is really a suit against efficiency and against real competition.

The real question involved in this suit is whether businessmen are going to be encouraged to do a better and more efficient job; or whether we are going to let the anti-trust lawyers in Washington blow the whistle on anybody who gets big by giving the people more for their money.

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